

"It is a great source of satisfaction for me to see the Chest receive the support of these industry leaders," said Spike Hunter, Community Chest loaned executive, as he accepted generous loans from two Harbor area firms last week.

Assistant vice president, is one of more than 70 executives loaned to the Community Chest by firms in the Greater Los Angeles area for full time work on the 1960 campaign.

SETTING THE PACE for the Chest's Commerce and Indus-

Torrance Officer Receives A. F. Commendation Medal

Major Loren D. Clark, 21312 Meyler Ave., who was recently assigned to the Air Force Ballistic Missile Division, has been awarded the Air Force Commendation Medal, it was announced this week by Maj. Gen. O. J. Ritland, AFBMD commander.

The award was for "meritorious service while assigned to the Air Force Regional Civil Engineer Office, South Pacific Region, from Sept. 12, 1956 to Feb. 15, 1960," the citation said.

He was cited specifically for

Pensioned Vets Must Report Income Change

Changes in annual rates of income, that would serve to make a person on veterans pension ineligible to continue receiving pension, must be reported promptly to the Veterans Administration.

The point was emphasized yesterday by Veterans Service Officer Mrs. Sara R. Bridges, Veterans Service Center, Torrance, who said the importance of such reports applies to pensioners under either the old or new pension systems.

UNDER THE former system the income limitations were and still are if single person and \$2700 for pensioners with dependents. Under the new system, effective last July 1, these limits were raised to \$1800 and \$3000 respectively, with pension payments realigned accordingly based on need.

If the pensioner anticipates that his income by the end of the calendar year will have exceeded the annual limitation (whichever applies in his case) he should notify the VA or ask the Veterans Officer to do so in his behalf.

UPON RECEIPT of such notice, the VA will stop the pension for the balance of the year, as of the date of the last payment. But if notice of excess income is not reported promptly, the pension payments will be discontinued retroactively to the first of January. This means an overpayment will have occurred, according to law, and the VA will request repayment of all money sent to the pensioner during the calendar year.

IT IS OBVIOUS, the Service Officer said, that change-of-income reports therefore are to the advantage of the pensioner if promptly made—generally within 30 days.

And, if the pensioner has overestimated his income by the end of the year and does not actually receive income beyond the limitation, the VA will make full payment of all entitlement upon proof that the income was within the limit after all. Re-establishment of pension is also possible as soon as the rate of income falls within the limitation once again.

Reformation Sunday to be Noted Today

Reformation Sunday will be celebrated at Seaside Community Church, 230th and Ocean Ave., with the sermon topic, "Our Continuing Reformation," today.

A family night pot-luck dinner will be held in the evening, at which the premiere showing of the story of Seaside Community Church, told in slides and entitled "Our Church," will be shown. The evening is being planned by Harry Dice as part of the 1961 Christian Enlistment program. The dinner arrangements have been made by Mrs. Clyde Rosellen.

A "kick-off" luncheon for the Christian Enlistment teams will be held at noon on Nov. 6, under the direction of Roger Schriefer.

"significant improvement in quality and progress of the Aircraft Control and Warning construction program in the South Pacific Region with maximum economy of funds."

A command pilot with more than 3000 flying hours, Major Clark's military decorations include the Air Medal, Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal, American Campaign Medal, Army of Occupation Medal (Japan), National Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal, and the Air Force Longevity Service Award with two bronze Oak Leaf Clusters.

Major Clark and his wife, Marilyn, have a two-year-old daughter, Sharilyn Leslie.

Six Tartars Take Extra College Work

Six Torrance High School students are participants in an out-of-school educational program. Paul Blankenship, class of '61, is enrolled three days a week at El Camino college in American History. Advanced mathematical concepts are the concern of Judy Meadows, Jon Lehr, and Ray Wilson.

These three students attend the mathematical institute on Monday evenings at Loyola University. This program, sponsored by Loyola University and the National Science Foundation institute, allows junior and senior students to study newer concepts in mathematics.

Rosalie Fountaine and Claudia Weaver attend special classes in art on Saturday mornings at the Chouinard Art School and Art Center School in Los Angeles.

"The possibility of enrollment of these students in advanced learning situations out of the classroom has proved a great boon to Torrance High School students," Dr. Carl R. Ahee stated. "These students are able to obtain greater educational experience than are obtainable in most high schools."

Home Again Tops County Loan Volume

Home Savings and Loan Assn. again topped all other financial institutions during September in real estate loan volume in Los Angeles County, thus making it eight months out of nine so far this year in which the association has led the county in its key activity.

According to figures compiled from county records by Realty Tax & Service Co., Home Savings had \$16,681,575 in loans on real estate recorded last month. This was over \$1 million more than the second highest firm, and surpassed the third greatest total by \$4.5 million.

Home, with 851, was also far in front in the number of real estate loans recorded in September, according to the resume. This was 68 per cent more than the second largest number of individual loans recorded by any one company and 75 per cent greater than the third highest figure.

Home Savings, the nation's largest savings and loan association with over \$830 million in assets, has a total of 24 offices serving Los Angeles, Orange and San Bernardino counties.

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try Division campaign, early contributions were given to the Community Chest by Victor C. Johnson, president of Mayflower Trailer Co., 2700 W. 247th St., and Allen Klatzker, assistant vice president of Pacific Smelting Co., 22219 So. Western Ave.

"I look forward to a similar generous response from other firms in the Harbor area," said Hunter. "I think the average businessman is appreciative of the job the Chest does and of the importance of supporting 170 agencies in one campaign."

"TIME MEANS a great deal to the entrepreneur... businessman and he appreciates the saving in time which one United campaign produces," Hunter said.

The Community Chest goal for the 1960 campaign is \$12,000,000. Of the total goal, \$118,987 will be raised in the Harbor area. The Community Chest's Harbor area takes in the communities of Torrance, Gardena, Harbor City, Lomita, Rolling Hills, Palos Verdes Estates, Portuguese Bend, Rolling Hills Estates, Walteria, San Pedro, and Wilmington.

Flutist Di Tullio Wins Audience As Soloist With Civic Symphony

The first concert of the Civic Symphony 1960-61 Season was given at Redondo High School Tuesday evening, and proved to be an ever-growing crescendo of exquisite music ending with an ovation for conductor Elyse Aehle which recalled her again and again to accept the enthusiastic applause.

The praise could not have been more deserved. She led her well-drilled musicians through the difficult, varied program with precise and yet flexible skill. She and the orchestra seemed equally at

home in the brilliant speed of Mendelssohn, the delicacy of Mozart, the haunting sweetness of Ravel's Pavane, and the intricacy of the Weinberger fugue. Even with an amusing little story about "Shvanda" she threw new light upon the composer's intentions thus making the music more enjoyable to the listeners.

THE ORCHESTRA has developed a fine tone and no small amount of technical proficiency. Especially impressive were the 26 violins who displayed astonishing speed as

well as artistic understanding. There was something particularly fitting in the choice of Louise Di Tullio to play Mozart's "First Concerto for the Flute." Her beautiful, clear tone, her flawless runs, her amazing musical gift, her personal beauty and charm, as well as her youth were all strongly reminiscent of the youthful Mozart.

I IMAGINE Mozart himself might have been greatly pleased had he heard her. Certainly she won the audience completely. After the concerto,

she acceded to their demand for an encore by playing "Syrinx" by Debussy with the most sensitive understanding.

In all it was a satisfying evening. The audience comfortably filled the lower floor of the auditorium. They were understanding and appreciative. Many complimented both music and musicians as they left the hall and many people signed requests asking that they be included on the list of those receive a notice preceding each program of the Civic Symphony Orchestra. —Vera Mills.

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